

Successor.	or other chief governing body of said municipality, at regular or special meeting called for that purpose. The successor of such first elected recorder and each succeeding recorder shall be nominated and elected in such municipality in the same manner and at the same time as is now provided by law in said municipality for the elective officers of such municipality, and in the general election for such officers of said municipality. Before entering upon the duties of his office the said recorder shall take and subscribe an oath of office, as is now provided by law for a justice of the peace, and shall file the same with the clerk of the board of such city or town.
Recorder to take oath.	The salary of the recorder shall be determined and fixed in advance by the board of aldermen, board of commissioners, or other chief governing body, and shall not be increased or decreased during the term of his office, and shall be paid out of the funds of the municipality.
Salary of recorder.	
Criminal cases tried at least one day a week.	Sec. 3. The said court shall be opened for the trial of criminal cases at least one day of each week, to be fixed by the board of aldermen, board of commissioners, or chief governing body of the municipality, and to continue its session from day to day until all business is transacted, continued, or otherwise legally disposed of.
Place of holding court.	The said court shall be held in the city or town hall, or other places provided therefor, and other sessions of the said court may be called by the recorder, as the necessities may require: <i>Provided, however</i> , that when any case has been finally disposed of by said recorder and judgment pronounced therein, the case shall not thereafter be reopened or judgment or sentence rendered therein changed, modified, or stricken out by said recorder after the adjournment of the regular weekly term herein provided for or the adjournment of any special term called by the recorder hereunder.
Proviso: no reopening or revision of judgment after adjournment of term.	
Jurisdiction.	Sec. 4. The said court shall have the following jurisdiction within the following named territory:
Offenses committed within corporate limits of which justices of peace have jurisdiction.	(a) Original, exclusive, and concurrent jurisdiction, as the case may be, of all offenses committed within the corporate limits of such municipality which are now or may hereafter be given to justices of the peace under the Constitution and general laws of the State, including all offenses of which the mayor or other municipal court now has jurisdiction.
Offenses committed within radius of two miles of municipality of which justices of peace have jurisdiction.	(b) Original and concurrent jurisdiction with justices of the peace of all offenses committed outside the corporate limits of said municipality and within a radius of two miles thereof, which is now or may hereafter be given to justices of the peace under the Constitution and general laws of the State.
Exclusive jurisdiction criminal offenses within prescribed territory below grade of felony.	(c) Exclusive, original jurisdiction of all other criminal offenses committed within the corporate limits of such municipality and outside, but within a radius of two miles thereof, which are below the grade of a felony as now defined by law, and the same are hereby declared to be petty misdemeanors.